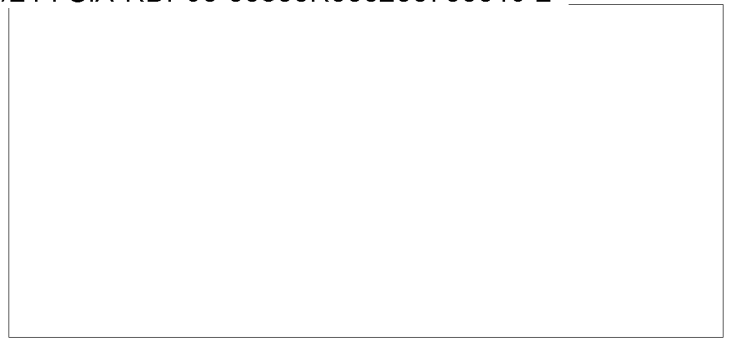


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6 July 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

THROUGH: Robert Gates  
Director of Policy and Planning

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FROM:   
Public Affairs Branch


SUBJECT: Proposed TV Appearance

1. You have been invited to appear on a new TV series entitled "American Forum," sponsored by the National Conservative Foundation, John T. Dolan, Chairman. The series will be co-hosted by Dolan and Congressman Robert Dornan.

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 consistent with your desire to subdue the Agency's visibility, there is nothing apparent to be gained here.

3. Recommend you sign the attached letter of regret.

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Attachment: a/s

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